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"Serve the Church that the Church May Serve You."

CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH BLAIRMORE

Rev. E. B. Arrol, B.A., Minister

Services Sunday next:
11.00 a.m. Senior school.
2.30 p.m. Junior school.
7.30 p.m. Public Worship.
Wednesday, 8 p.m., Prayer service.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BLAIRMORE

Rev. J. R. Hague, A.Th., Incumbent

Services Sunday next—
10 a.m., Sunday School.
11 a.m., Matins and sermon.

SALVATION ARMY, COLEMAN

Lieut. R. D. Marks, Officer in Charge

Sunday services:
10.30 a.m., Y.P. Directory Class.
11.00 a.m., Holiness Meeting.
3.00 p.m., Sunday School.
7.30 p.m., Salvation Meeting.
Tuesday: 7.30 p.m., Red Shield Auxiliary and Home League.

Thursday: 8 p.m., Praise Meeting.
Funerals and dedications on application to the local officer.

No less than thirteen births are announced in this week's Coleman Journal, all arriving between September 12 and October 8. Eight were intentionally boys, and five girls.

The marriage took place at the Coleman Catholic rectory on Saturday last of Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Trotz, of Coleman, to Mr. Elmer North, of Blairmore.

VICTORY LOAN 1942

Schools throughout the province are being organized to work in the interest of the Third Victory Loan campaign. In most centres it is expected programmes consisting of school orchestras, choirs, bands, readings, talks by teachers, etc., will be carried out. In Blairmore the programme will follow the following order: Flag raising ceremonial and dedication, to be held at the Victoria Street bandstand on Sunday, October 18th, at 1 p.m., with Mayor E. Williams presiding. "Miss Canada" and Air Cadets in uniform. Transportation will be provided to convey Miss Canada staff and Air Cadets to Bellevue, where a concert will be staged in the arena at 2.30 p.m.

MOTORISTS ISSUED NEW RATION BOOKS

Motorists are giving their full co-operation in carrying out the change-over by which many Alberta car owners are placed in the new "AAA" category for non-essential drivers, according to information which has been received by the Alberta Motor Association.

In response to the appeal of the regional oil controller, motorists are sending in their old coupon books as soon as they receive notice that they are in the new category. This enables the regional officer to send the new coupon books out immediately.

While the new classification for non-essential driving came into effect on October 1st, the notices were not all sent out at once because this would have resulted in the staff at headquarters being flooded with old coupon books. Instead, a more orderly plan was adopted, whereby the notices were mailed out daily and the way opened for a steady stream of responses, without congestion being threatened.

Federal officials have stated that all notices to new category car owners were to be out by October 12th.

HILLCREST HAPPENINGS

ACE Steve Siga was home on leave from Calgary, where he is in training as an air mechanic.

Dorval Grant, of Calgary, spent the Thanksgiving holiday with his parents here.

Corp. W. Madin was home from Edmonton on a brief visit.

Veno Pozzi and Mario Colesimo have left for Calgary, where they will occupy positions at an airport.

Joe Terlecki was home from Calgary on a brief visit, accompanied by Mrs. Terlecki.

Mrs. Elvora D'Amico, teacher at Pincher Creek, was up to spend a few days with her parents and relatives.

Harvey Murphy will address a public meeting at Coleman on Sunday evening.

Lundbreck will be the scene of another auction sale of prime cattle on Friday next.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Blair have been holiday visitors to Lethbridge, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tufeland.

A handkerchief, gentleman's, left at our office a few days ago may be had by the owner calling at our office and paying two dollars for this notice.

The old German gun, mounted at Olds after the last great war, has been handed over to the scrap committee, the proceeds to go to the Red Cross. What about that gun at Frank?

The ladies of St. Joseph's parish will hold a turkey supper in the Lundbreck hall on Wednesday evening next, commencing at 5.30. A draw for tombola prizes will take place and bingo will be played after supper.

An old-time resident of Bellevue passed away on Friday last in the person of John Vanin, aged 43. He had resided in Bellevue for the past thirty years, following occupation as a miner. The remains were laid to rest in the Lady of Lourdes cemetery on Sunday.

COWLEY HAPPENINGS

After spending several weeks helping the harvest, R. J. Wood has returned to his home in Cranbrook.

Mrs. George Dwyer is a patient in St. Vincent's hospital at Pincher Creek.

Mrs. Mollie Milvain and Jimmy Gunn were down from Calgary to spend Thanksgiving with their parents.

A. J. Snyder has returned from Pincher Creek, where he was a hospital inmate for a few days.

Misses Jean and Connie Porter have returned to Parkland, after spending Thanksgiving with their parents here.

Mrs. Doris Sandeman, of the Marsh teaching staff, is spending a week of her holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Elton, while the older pupils are on harvest leave.

William McIntosh, of the Cowley airport, is an inmate at St. Vincent's hospital in Pincher Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wheatcroft of Blairmore, were visitors here on Saturday.

Mrs. Willard G. Dwyer and infant left Sunday to join Mr. Dwyer, who is stationed at Camp Borden.

Joan Carney, of Kimberley, B.C., was a visitor here on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Elton, Mrs. Doris Sandeman, Michael Elton, George Mowat, Duart Smith and Malcolm McMillan motored to Calgary on Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Jack Kemmis.

Mr. Kemmis was one of the pioneers of the district. He operated a large ranch eleven miles north of here for a number of years and was member for this division of the Alberta legislature, serving for some years.

A very successful market day in aid of the Red Cross was held on Wednesday afternoon, with a large crowd in attendance in spite of the harvest time. The booths and tables looked very attractive, decorated with garden flowers and wild purple asters, with a setting of sheaves of grain in the background. Besides cooking and sewing booths and booths bearing miscellaneous articles, pupils from three school districts, Cowley, Todd Creek and Tanner, operated booths in aid of the Junior Red Cross. These contained articles made by the children, including wood work, sewing and cooking. They also sold their own wares.

A fish pond created a lot of amusement for the younger children, as well as doing a neat little bit of business. As the day wore on, Sandy Leslie auctioned off a number of items which had been donated. The turkey and cushion drawn for were won by George Baker and Mrs. W. R. McIntosh. The sum of \$185 was realized. Extra sacks of vegetables were left to be sent direct to the Red Cross depot in Calgary.

Messrs. Balloch and Holstead represented the Coleman Journal at the Alberta Weekly Newspapers annual convention in Calgary last week end. We also attended. The convention was presided over by President D'Albertain, of the Chauvin Chronicle, and was one of the best since the organization's inception. High features were entertainments by way of refreshables with such hosts as the wholesale paper dealers, the Calgary Herald and Albertan, and the Government of Alberta, all of which were of the highest order and very much enjoyed. Principal among the addresses were those of the president, L. D'Albertain, Mr. Reg. Smith, of the J. J. Gibbons Co., Mr. A. L. Smith, K.C., and Hon. D. B. MacMillan, provincial minister of agriculture. At the final banquet, prizes were awarded for various competitions in newspaper and job printing work. On Saturday afternoon a large representation toured Currie Barracks, others repaired to where there was less drought.

John H. W. S. Kemmis, former M. L. A. for Pincher Creek and since 1928 grand secretary of the Grand Lodge of Alberta, A. F. & A. M., passed away at his home in Calgary on Monday, aged 75. The remains were laid to rest in Calgary on Wednesday afternoon. A number of Masons from this district, especially Pincher Creek and Cowley, where he was so well known, attended the funeral. Mr. Kemmis is survived by his wife and two daughters, also one brother, Charles, of Ottawa. Honorary pallbearers were F. P. Galbraith, Red Deer; T. J. Cumberland, Pincher Creek; W. J. Bottrell, Red Deer, and G. E. Cruickshank, Hillcrest. Pallbearers: R. B. Goad, G. Moore, William Ireland, W. M. Conacher, G. F. Ellis and C. Larhalctier, all of Calgary.

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CONCERT PARTY TO APPEAR AT BELLEVUE ON SUNDAY

The Crow's Nest Pass folk are going to have the opportunity of hearing the snappy Navy-Army-Air-Force Concert Party, who are being featured in the Third Victory Loan campaign.

They will perform at Bellevue arena at 3 p.m. on Sunday, proceeding from there to Macleod for an evening performance.

"ALL FOR ONE—ONE FOR ALL"

Let this be Blairmore's slogan on Saturday, October 24th, when the Crow's Nest Chapter of the I.O.D.E. hold their tag day.

The proceeds are to go to make Christmas parcels for our local boys overseas. We must not disappoint them, as we know quite well that they are not disappointing us.

Certainly we are proud of our boys, not forgetting the ones that saw service at Dieppe. But feeling proud is not enough. We must show our feelings in a fitting manner, and when you are approached by these wonderful ladies, give your donation freely. It is not charity, but an obligation we owe these brave soldiers. Maybe you would like to make a private donation. If so, it is quite easy. All you have to do is to get in touch with Mrs. A. (Ruby) Decoux any time. You don't have to leave it till the last day.

Let us get behind this drive with a will, and show our boys we are "one for all and all for one."

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C. Freeman was a business visitor to Calgary the early part of the week.

Mrs. Davidson was a visitor to her ranch near Claresholm the early part of the week.

Mrs. J. Angus MacDonald has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. John Wilson, at Manlyberries.

Fifty-one 10,000-ton cargo ships have been built by the Canadian ship-building industry in nine months.

The way some people run around in their cars, it seems the only thing rationed for them was their brains.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Richard, of Calgary, spent the Thanksgiving holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pinkney.

There are said to be fewer whales than there used to be. Maybe some of those fish stories are true, after all.—Albertan.

A caucus of Social Credit members of the Alberta legislature and house of commons is to be held in Edmonton on October 28.

The first train of the Western Counties Railway pulled out of the Evangeline wharf station, Nova Scotia, in 1878.

We believe it was A. L. Smith, K. C., who at Calgary stated that "the Weekly Press of Alberta was a most necessary evil."

Beavers, their pond surrounded by a forest fire, have been seen piling wet mud on their homes to prevent their taking fire.

H. C. McBurney and James Kerr, of Coleman, and William Kerr, Bellevue, spent a few days pheasant shooting in the Brooks district.

George Fisher, of Natal, brought a wedding party to Blairmore on Wednesday. So far as we can learn, no legal proceedings have been taken against him. They seemed to be enjoying themselves.

The Enterprise offers 25% commission on new subscriptions brought in. An easy way to make half a dollar now that most every household must have The Enterprise. It is a printed sheet, readable and reliable.

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You'll love my
Steamed Apple Pudding
says ALICE STEVENS B.Sc.

1 1/2 cups B.C. apples, grated
1 cup carrots, grated
1 cup raisins, cut
1 1/2 cups sugar
1 1/2 cups beef udder, chopped

2 cups flour
1 teaspoon soda
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon ground cloves
1/4 teaspoon salt

Mix all ingredients together, adding soda and spices with flour. Pour into large buttered mold and steam 3 hours; individual molds require 1 1/2 hours steaming. Serve with a hot pudding sauce.

Remember all sugar bought before Oct. 31 is for preserving and for use with apples must be used before Oct. 31st

YOUR VICTORY TEAM
WARTIME PRESERVING

PURE **Alberta** AND **B.C. Tree**
SUGAR AND **FRUITS**

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VICTORY BONDS

SPACE DONATED BY
F. M. THOMPSON CO.

Good Weather Is Needed For Harvest Work

Winnipeg.—Adverse weather conditions in the three prairie provinces have proven the major handicap in grain harvesting operations this year. It was disclosed by officials of the departments of agriculture.

Alberta and Saskatchewan both report 75 per cent of the grain crop still to be threshed, while in Manitoba officials of the provincial department of agriculture reported more than 50 per cent, and probably 55 per cent, of the threshing had been completed.

Rain during the latter part of September and small falls of snow caused the delay—estimated on the prairies at from one week to a month or more in some places.

Coupled with this has been the general scarcity of farm labor, with Saskatchewan farmers reported to be most seriously affected.

An estimated 8,000 workers now are needed in Saskatchewan. The official estimates place the number required in Alberta at around 2,000. Harvest workers are not needed in Manitoba for grain fields, but there is a pressing need for workers in the sugar beet fields.

Saskatchewan farmers, however, looked for some relief with arrangements made at Ottawa for the sending of 5,000 harvesters from eastern Canada.

The situation in Alberta, however, remained acute and agriculture department officials and the Edmonton branch of the unemployment insurance commission said the only solution for the harvest problem is good weather in which to complete operations.

Further arrangements will be given Saskatchewan farmers by 600 students from the University of Saskatchewan.

Weather during the past fortnight has been favorable and aided farmers in cutting remaining portions of their crops, officials said.

Much of the grain, however, has been bleached and the grade of grain lowered.

The Canadian Pacific Railway crop report said threshing and combining have made considerable progress and estimated operations completed to the following extent, with last year's figures in parentheses:

Manitoba: Wheat, 67 per cent. (72); oats and barley, 69 per cent. (71).

Saskatchewan: Wheat, 38 per cent. (83); oats and barley, 46 per cent. (84).

Alberta: Wheat, 30 per cent. (56); oats and barley, 34 per cent. (55).

FOREIGN TRADE

If Cut Off Would Affect Canadian Way of Life

Edmonton.—Hon. T. A. MacKinnon, minister of trade and commerce, said in an interview here that "we cannot be too much on our guard against the spread in this country of economic nationalism and isolationism, no matter under what guise it may appear."

The minister said the absence of foreign trade would constitute a most serious attack "upon our Canadian standard and way of life."

"Certain elements in Canada today are endeavoring to convince the people they can live quite well even if nothing whatever is imported into this country," Mr. MacKinnon asserted. "The doctrine of self-sufficiency is extremely dangerous to Canada's economy, even in time of war. It will be even more menacing to Canada's position when peace comes."

Probably no other country is so essentially an exporting nation as Canada, he continued, but Canadians cannot export their surplus products under normal conditions unless the goods of other nations are received in return.

DEPLORES PUBLICITY

London.—The London Times thinks we ought to do away with public debate on the question of a second front. The newspaper urges a comprehensive and co-ordinated Allied plan of strategy. Says the Times: "The fact that debate is being waged within the enemy's hearing among Allies in a life and death struggle implies that something is wrong with the United Nations war organization."

GERMAN PILOT SURRENDERS

Moscow.—A German pilot landed his plane in Soviet lines, the Russian high command reported. He climbed out and surrendered, explaining to his captors that he had no faith in a Nazi victory and did not want to shed his blood for Adolf Hitler.

AIR RAIDS

Hon. E. J. Manning (Cons. Party) of Ottawa.—Hon. R. J. Manion, director of civil air raid precautions, said he will be very much surprised if some Canadian cities—inland as well as on the coast—are not attacked from the air before the war ends and that less than half the cities of Canada have proper fire-fighting equipment to meet even normal peacetime needs.

This lack of fire-fighting equipment is almost a crime against our national life, he said in an address prepared for delivery over a Canadian Broadcasting Corporation network in connection with observance of Fire Prevention Week.

Using Four-Ton Bombs To Blast Enemy Targets

London.—Big bombs, little bombs, fat bombs and skinny bombs, each for a special job, have become big news these days as the United Nations blast Nazi targets on land and sea from the Middle East to the Solomon Islands.

Headlines were made when the air ministry announced the Royal Air Force is using four-ton missiles to scourge the Reich. They're a far cry from the 16-pounders used early in the last war to break up a defence works or damage a factory.

Those "to go" bombs were tossed over the side by hand. Now delicate fingers of steel grip delayed-action bombs, armor-piercing bombs, anti-personnel bombs and anti-submarine bombs until a bomb alarm releases them.

Dropping an 8,000-pound bundle of destruction is "rather like tossing a brick into a puddle of water—that is if you can liken a block of bricks the size of St. James' Park to a puddle of water," said an airman who has watched them fall into the heart of a flame-lit Nazi city.

"The brick lobs into the middle. The water rushes away. Then it rushes together again. Then it flies in all directions and the middle of the once placid little puddle is left just a dirty wet patch."

These big bombs, of course, do their damage with blast—terrible, irresistible blast that rolls out in a sheet of white flame. Most of it moves laterally so it spends almost all its power on the target. But planes a mile in the sky have been known to have been tossed on their backs by the explosion.

Blast bombs, however, represent just one branch of the destructive genius which is the foundation of offensive air operations. The range and nature of Britain's air-borne missiles are constantly being revised. Even the choice of paint for the finished article is important.

CHRISTMAS PARCELS

Must Be Mailed To Soldiers Overseas By November 10

Toronto.—November 10 has been set by the postal department as the last mailing day for Christmas parcels to soldiers overseas with any hope of delivery by Christmas, officials of the post office said.

The tremendous amount of mail now reaching the base post office, where mail and parcels are sorted for all parts of the world, will be greatly increased by the Christmas avalanche, it was stated.

Senders of parcels are advised that by sending less than the limit of 11 pounds per parcel, much can be done in providing shipping space.

SHORTAGE ACUTE

Stenographers And Accountants Urgently Needed For Civil Service

Winnipeg.—James H. Stitt, western commissioner on the civil service commission, said in an interview here that the shortage of employees in the civil service has become so acute that a plan for selection of training schemes within the service for stenographers and accountants now is being studied. He said there now are approximately 120,000 civil servants, including 31,000 taken on the payroll last year.

NEW SCHOLARSHIP

Fredericton.—Dr. Lorne Pierce of the Ryerson Press, Toronto, will turn over to University of New Brunswick all royalties received in trust from sale of the works of the late Bliss Carman. The royalties to be used for establishing a scholarship in English to be known as the Bliss Carman scholarship.

GERMAN PRISONERS

Part Of Rommel's African Corps Arrive In Canada

An East Coast Canadian Port.—Sullen German tank men from Rommel's African Corps, nearly 1,000 strong, now are safely tucked away in Canadian internment camps for the duration after landing at this port.

Arrival in Canada instead of the promised Cairo, where Rommel had said they were headed, had done nothing to improve their temper, and they did not seem pleased to exchange the heat and dust of the desert for this climate.

But they gave no trouble, officers in charge of the prisoners said, either at the landing here or on the long boat trip from the Mediterranean to this Dominion. Tough Polish soldiers, fanatic enemies of the Nazis, made sure of that as they guarded the Germans on the long ocean jaunt.

"The Polish soldiers behaved admirably," the English colonel in charge said, "only they were a little too strict. But no one could blame them for that."

One German took this opportunity to display his long-hidden hate for Nazism. On the boat trip he was guarded separately, not to keep him from escaping but to keep fellow prisoners from attacking him.

He was glad to be a prisoner as that meant he was free from the rule of Hitler. He insisted there were many others who thought as he did and were only waiting a similar opportunity to break free.

MILITARY EQUIPMENT

United States, Great Britain And Russia Sign Protocol

Washington.—The United States, Great Britain and Russia signed a protocol covering delivery of military equipment, munitions and raw materials to the Soviet Union by Britain and the United States.

The protocol gives formal acceptance to agreements already in effect providing for the continuance without interruption of the supply program inaugurated at Moscow conference a year ago.

The protocol was signed for the United States by the acting secretary of state, Sumner Welles; for Britain by Sir Ronald Campbell, British minister, and for the Soviet Union by Ambassador Maxim Litvinov.

GRECE RECEIVES FOOD.—By agreement between the Greek and British governments, a number of food ships have been sent to Greece, and their supplies, mostly grain, have been distributed among the population.

New Post



Rear Admiral G. C. Jones, R.C.N., commanding officer, Atlantic coast, since September, 1943, has been appointed to naval service headquarters at vice-chief of the navy staff.

FRENCH RESISTANCE

Reaction Against The Nazis Becoming More Violent

London.—A fiery spirit of resistance to the Germans is taking the place of apathy in France.

Qualified observers in London who never have been inclined to place much faith in reports of French opposition to the German occupiers, say now reaction against both the Nazis and Vichy is becoming more violent as the Germans put on the screw.

"France definitely would react more powerfully now than a month ago," said one source, attributing the change to Laval's German-inspired decree conscripting labor and to the anti-Semitic drive.

These moves, the former a potential threat to every Frenchman and the latter antagonizing Roman Catholic elements, were described as "sheer folly."

"Militarily, it was admitted, France will have to be saved, for she is a defeated nation without arms, but morally she is being goaded out of the apathetic state which followed her collapse in 1940."

VOLUNTARY WORKERS

Would Bring More People Into Warlike Services

Ottawa.—Further development of voluntary organizations which now are playing valuable roles in various nation-wide wartime economy campaigns is being considered by the government, it was learned here.

The aim is to increase the effectiveness of these voluntary services in national drives like the salvage campaign, and to bring more workers into such organizations.

SET ON REVENGE

Chinese Soldiers Are Eager To Learn Latest War Tactics

Somewhere in Eastern India.—The second battle of Burma is brewing in a peaceful village deep in the heart of the Himalayan mountains.

There, Chinese soldiers who retreated, sick and discouraged, before the triumphant Jap advance, from Rangoon to Mandalay, are being trained in modern warfare by white officers and soldiers. Those Chinese are determined to go home, by way of the invasion route—through Burma.

Classes are held in the low, red-brick buildings of a former prison camp, and the Chinese soldiers are almost pitifully eager to learn how to use the latest weapons and learn the latest war tactics. They've got their hearts set on revenge.

United Nations To Investigate Nazi War Crimes

London.—The British government has proposed creation of a United Nations commission for the investigation of war crimes, Viscount Simon, the lord chancellor, disclosed in the house of lords.

Lord Simon said the proposal had been communicated to several other nations, including Russia, China, the Dominions, India and the Fighting French, with a view to obtaining their concurrence and it was pointed out that President Roosevelt had announced in Washington that the U.S. is ready to co-operate.

Lord Simon said that organized atrocities perpetrated by or on orders of Germany in Occupied France should be included in the scope of the commission's investigation, and that it should cover the activities of offenders regardless of their rank.

The latter provision was interpreted at first glance as meaning the commission would study war crimes guilt from the lowest private to Hitler himself.

Lord Simon said governments here of Allied nations already had given their approval.

"Our object," he asserted, "is not to undertake or encourage mass executions, but to fix these horrible crimes upon those enemy individuals who are really responsible and ought to be dealt with as criminals."

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Canadian Naval Forces Aided In Aleutian Islands

Ottawa.—Navy Minister Macdonald announced that a Canadian naval force of five warships co-operated with the United States force which effected the recent landing in the Aleutian Islands.

The latest season to be proud. "It was not announced, although it was said it happened 'recently'."

It was known previously that Canadian airmen have been taking part in operations against the Japanese in the Aleutian Islands. It was also known previously that Canadian warships have been working with American naval units in the Aleutian area.

In reporting that a Canadian naval force had its share in the operation, Mr. Macdonald added that it was but another instance of how Canadian forces are co-operating with other forces of the United Nations.

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STILL A DANGER

Winter Would Not Keep Japan From Attacking Siberia

Bombay.—Don't count too much on General Winter to prevent the Japs from invading Siberia. Experienced observers in India think a Japanese assault on Russia is likely this winter—and that the weather will help, not hinder, the enemy.

For one thing, the ground is hard instead of soggy, and rivers, which ordinarily create a bridge-building problem, will be frozen solid. In addition, the ice at Vladivostok will immobilize the Russian submarine fleet. And winter weather would hamper Allied efforts to reinforce Russia's eastern air force.

The observers point out that the Japs made their conquest of North China in the dead of winter. The Japs have half a million of the best class troops in Asia, garrisoned in Manchukuo—not counting the recent reinforcements.

The Far Eastern strategists feel that the conquest of Siberia is Japan's paramount military objective.

SINK NAZI SHIPS

United Nations Have Sunk Or Seized 218 Merchant Vessels

New York.—The United Nations have sunk or seized no less than 218 merchant vessels—more than 1,000,000 tons—since war burst over Europe three years ago, a review of official announcements shows.

These losses apparently have sent the German march of war into a heavy lurch, and the Nazis have begun a drive to salvage ships sunk along the coast of Europe. It was reported recently. In addition they have started a program to build standardized merchantmen, probably along the lines of the American Liberty ship plan.

LOST HIS GOLD

French Police Take Fortune From Former King Of Egypt

Cairo, France.—Egypt's former ruler—Abbas Pasha, the Second—tried to escape France, and lost his fortune doing it.

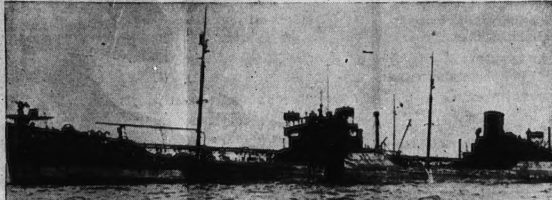
The French frontier police confiscated about 400 thousand dollars in gold in Italy while they caught the former king trying to transfer to his luxury yacht. He had planned to go to Monte Carlo.

Abbas Pasha has lived on the Riviera since he was dethroned by Britain in 1914.

HEALTH OF WORKERS

Edmonton.—General health conditions in Canadian industrial plants has shown substantial improvement in the past year, Dr. C. F. Blackler, of Ottawa, in charge of the industrial hygiene branch of the department of pensions and national health, said in an interview here.

Despite Hole From Torpedo Ship Is Saved



This is part of the saga of bravery in the Battle of the Atlantic. The 18,000-ton tanker, a gaping torpedo-made hole amidships, stands by to be towed to port after the crew battled and vanquished the ensuing fire. Two crew members died in the blast. Forty-two other crew members and a gun crew of 17 will carry on in the Battle of the Atlantic. The hole shows where the torpedo struck.

Rolling Towards A Second Front



England's new "Churchills," heavily-armed and armored, speedy infantry tanks, are pictured for the first time—up until this photograph was made they were very hush-hush. But secrecy did not keep production down. Look at the long lines of the new tanks stretching off into the distance—maybe towards a second front.

PROMINENT AMERICANS BACK FOR ANOTHER HUNT

Here last year to enjoy hunting Hungarian partridge, a party of six U.S. business executives arrived back in town Monday in their private car, "Manhattan," to enjoy another few days' session. They are unanimous in claiming that local Huns are the finest, fastest and wildest game birds on the continent.

In the party are D. A. Crawford, of Minneapolis, president of the Pullman Company; James F. Bell, of Minneapolis, president of General Mills; Garnard Winston, of New York, president of Sherman and Sterling Co.; S. L. Avery, president and general manager of the big Montgomery Ward department store in Chicago; George Henneberry, president of Henneberry Photogravure, New York, and F. A. Preston, vice-president Peor and Co., New York.

Mr. Avery praised the Canadian war effort, saying the country is doing a great job, particularly with respect to air training. As business men, they were interested in the co-operative ownership of the E.I.D. and judged by the fine appearance of the farms that the scheme is a success.

Mr. Bell handed a bouquet to Ducks Unlimited, saying that this organization is doing wonderful work in improving conditions for migratory game birds, with consequent better hunting for both American and Canadian sportsmen.

It is unlikely that the party will return next year as several of them expect there will be restrictions on travelling and, as one of them stated, winning the war will be the big task for the next year or so. After the war is over there is every likelihood that they will return as often as possible to take part in the annual fall hunt. —Brooks Bulletin.

Annual Tea and Sale of Fancy Work and Home Cooking, St. Luke's Ladies' Guild, Oliva Hall, Saturday, November 14, from 3 to 6 p.m. Fish Poles for children and Tombola Drawing.

In order to reconcile wild drivers, an inventor is working on a device which will cause the horn to toot continually when the car exceeds 40 or 45 miles an hour; and another device that will flatten all tires when the speedometer registers 60 miles an hour.

Whether licensed or not, no place of business should be permitted to operate behind closed blinds. There are such in the Crow's Nest Pass, and some steps should be taken to close them up, or else have them remove their blinds and declare their brand of business. These are war days, when every effort is being made to have all businesses operated openly and above board.



HE BELIEVES IN SIGNS

One of the colored troops of the United States Army now working on the highway to Alaska is shown lettering signs for the new road. Known as "Alecan" highway, it is already in use as a supply line to Alaska.

THE FLAG! IT!!

Here comes the flag!
Hail it!
Who dares to drag
Or trail it?
Give it hurrahs—
Three for the stars
Three for the bars.
Uncover your head to it!
The soldiers who tread to it
Shout at the sight of it,
The justice and right of it,
The unsullied white of it—
The blue and the red of it—
And tyranny's dread of it—
Here comes The Flag!
Cheer it!
Valley and crag
Shall hear it.
Fathers, shall bless it—
Children grasp it—
All shall maintain it.
No one shall stain it.
Cheers for the sailors that fought on
the wave for it
Cheers for the soldiers that always
were brave for it
Tears for the men that went down to
the grave for it!
Here comes The Flag!

—Arthur Macy.

People of occupied France are paying the Nazis \$7,500,000 a day. For what?

A Conservative national convention is to be held in Winnipeg on December 9-10-11.

An Illinois town has donated its jail to the scrap drive. Maybe that community has gone dry.

United States factories are turning out between four and five thousand army planes a month. That's faster than Hitler and the Japs can destroy them. More than \$4,000,000,000 worth of airplanes, engines and propellers will be produced during 1942.

On Tuesday night of last week, members of the local Lodge of Elks were hosts to the ladies following the regular lodge session. Following cards and a luncheon, at which about one hundred and fifteen were seated, a short period of dancing and sing-song was enjoyed.

Second reading has been given in the British House of Commons to a bill establishing the right of any Welshman charged in a Welsh court to speak Welsh if he wishes, instead of English. In 1785 English was language of law, even in Wales. The controversy has been fought ever since.

The Poole Construction Co. are now dredging near the mouth of Lyon Creek. They are making an excellent job, and if completed west to the mouth of York or Burns creeks, will challenge higher waters than experienced last spring. There is a prospect now that instead of a footbridge leading from Sixth Avenue, it may be placed across opposite Fifth Avenue, with a more accommodating structure.



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The last payment on 1st April 1943, covers the final payment of principal, plus .67 of 1% in the case of the 3% bonds and .39 of 1% in the case of the 1 3/4% bonds representing accrued interest from 1st November 1942, to the due dates of the respective instalments.

The Minister of Finance reserves the right to accept or to allot the whole or any part of the amount of this loan, subscribed for either or both maturities if total subscriptions are in excess of \$750,000,000.

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The lists will open on 19th October 1942, and will close on or about 7th November 1942, with or without notice, at the discretion of the Minister of Finance.

Department of Finance,
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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

A Swedish-designed and built dive-bomber was shown in action for the first time at exercises in Skansen, a Stockholm park.

Leut. Laidlaw Bovaard of London, Ont., has been appointed side-de-camp to Lt.-Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, Canadian army commander. It was learned recently.

Because of the manpower shortage in Britain the post office has asked for school children up to 15 to help with the rush of Christmas mail.

To relieve the shortage of farm workers in the U.S., Agriculture Secretary Wickard advocated migration of farm families from marginal soil to land which can be worked more productively.

British M.P.'s are to make munitions in their spare time. They are being invited to attend a London training centre where they will learn to make copper driving bands and nuts and bolts.

Furniture from Belgium and Holland is being sent by water to Cologne and other German towns damaged during R.A.F. raids on the Rhine. The Independent Belgian News Agency reported.

Some 800 physicians are needed for service with the armed forces by next March and the Canadian Medical Association is co-operating with the government in an effort to obtain them without endangering civilian health.

Possibility that Italian women are operating as spies in Northern Ireland was indicated in Belfast court when three were sentenced to serve three months in jail. They were suspected of carrying information from Northern Ireland to the Italian minister at Dublin.

Prices Set For Scrap

Provides Classification For Metals

Apart From Steel And Iron Have you got a copper washbowl or an old radiator you want to turn in for scrap? If so, you don't need to wonder any more how much you should get for it.

The wartime prices and trade board announced an order which sets up price regulations for transactions in brass, copper, bronze, tin, lead, nickel and aluminum scrap.

It provides a classification for old radiators, shell cases and bullet jackets, and even toilet wheels and car boxes.

Steel and iron scrap prices are not affected by the order.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

OCTOBER 18

GROWTH IN CHRIST
Golden text: Grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. II Peter 3:18.
Lesson: Luke 2:40-52; Hebrews 5:11-14; II Peter 1:1-8.
Devotional reading: Ephesians 4:11-16.

Explanations and Comments
How Jesus grew, Luke 2:40, 52. The boy Jesus' development was threefold, physical, mental and spiritual.

Like every one who lives, Jesus began his earthly life as a helpless infant, and like all normal children his powers developed gradually. As a child he grew physically and grew strong; as he increased in wisdom and stature, he grew spiritually, in favor with God and man. He had a gradual development until he attained a perfect manhood.

"You know the Child Jesus in a picture at once, by a halo round his brow. There was no glory in his real life to mark him: we know this, for in after years his brethren thought his fame strange, and his townsmen rejected him. Gradually and gently he woke to consciousness of life and its manifold meanings; gradually, and not at once, he embraced the sphere of human duties, and he woke to his earthly relationships one by one—the Son, the Brother, the Citizen, the Master. It is a very deep and beautiful and precious truth that the Eternal Son had a human and progressive childhood."

The Christian Life One of Continuous Growth and Progress. II Peter 1:1-8. This letter begins with an impressive announcement of the writer as Simon Peter (giving both his Jewish name and his Christ-given name) and his identification as a servant and apostle of Jesus Christ. The letter is written to all "that have obtained a precious faith with us by the righteousness of our God and the Saviour Jesus Christ." Note that the article "the" before "Saviour Jesus Christ" is italicized, showing that it is not in the original Greek, and consider the difference which the omission would make. The greeting is "Grace to you and peace be multiplied in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord." Growth in grace and so in peace come through the knowledge and service of Christ.

"True growth is growth in the knowledge of Christ. That does not merely mean the knowledge about Christ. As far as that is concerned, we know only what his disciples have to tell us. Knowledge of Christ means something deeper. It means the knowledge of him as personal Friend, entering into our lives with guiding and challenge. We can know him as a power that inspires and comforts. We can know his ways with us, how he would have us bear ourselves in trouble or difficulty. To know him means to enter into all that he means for our life" (James Reid).

USED IN ANCIENT TIMES

The mangel appears to be one of the oldest of cultivated crops and at least can be traced back to 2000 B.C. An old plate found in an Egyptian tomb represents a laborer placing a large root or mangel on a table as a sacrifice.

Gibraltar's area is one and seven-eighths square miles.

LIFE'S LIKE THAT



By Fred Neher

"I can't take this report card home to pop... he's on a war footing."

REG'LAR FELLERS—Under the High Sign



Importance Of Navigator



—R.C.A.F. Official Photo

Pictured hard at work in his "office" is the navigator of a bomber, maps and charts spread out before him. The navigator is the businessman of the crew. While the other members of the team are engaged in action he must remain at his desk, coolly planning the aircraft's course in order to avoid heavy defensive establishments and yet get the aircraft to its destination over the shortest route. On certain types of aircraft he also acts as bomb-aimer, a task requiring the utmost in skill, coolness and courage.

Steadily Draws Nearer

Hitler's Armies Cannot Escape The Final Day Of Reckoning

I wonder, says Hannen Swaffer, in People, if Hitler realizes how Great Britain is becoming every week, more like an armed camp, or how aerodromes are being laid out, and men being trained, and munitions being stored, in readiness for the invasion of which Dieppe was only a try-out.

A month before the war, it took me nearly all day, with short stops at Amsterdam and Copenhagen, to fly to Gdynia. A short time ago, R.A.F. bombers flew all the way there, raised the port, and flew back. So, no point which the Germans hold will be safe.

The "long-term" policy has been decided on, despite the demands for a second front immediately. Well, the day of its fulfillment draws nearer.

By then, the Americans will be ready.

JUST WANT TO HELP

On two occasions fishermen of Cullen Bay, Aberdeenshire, Scotland, who have gone out to sea in the night to rescue crashed and injured airmen have returned their money awards to the National Lifeboat Institution, saying they did not want gain for themselves, only to help.

SMILE AWHILE

"Is this a good brand of perfume?"
"That, madam, is one of our best smellers."

Speed Idiot—It's great speeding along like this. Don't get me glad that you're alive?

Passenger—Glad isn't the word. I'm amazed!

Father—Isn't it time you were entertaining the prospect of matrimony?
Daughter—Not quite, dad. He won't be here until 8 o'clock.

"I've tried to propose to Susan a dozen times and hanged if I can do it. I've slumped every time."

"And she let you slump?"

"Yes."

"My boy, you are courting the wrong girl."

Miss de Frost—Circumstances compel me to decline a marital arrangement with a man of no pecuniary resources.

Mr. Gay—Er—I don't get you—Miss de Frost—That's what I'm telling you.

"Now there is a woman who makes the little things count."

"What does she do?"

"She teaches arithmetic in our grade school."

Doctor—Your husband, Madam, is suffering from voluntary inertia.

Patient's Wife—Poor dear Robert! And I accused him all along of being lazy!

"I'll let you off with a fine this time, but another day I'll send you to jail."

"That's what I expected."

"What do you mean?"

"Fine today—cooler tomorrow."

Guest—Two eggs, please. Don't fry a second after the white is cooked. Don't turn them over; not too much grease; just a pinch of salt on each; no pepper—well, what are you waiting for?

Waiter—The hen's name is Betty—she is a white feathered bird. Is that all right, sir?

WORTHY OF ANTHEM

The probability is that most Russians have never heard of the "Song of the Volga Boatmen," but some Soviet composer may well compose an anthem to commemorate the epic defence now being put up along that historic river's banks.

Agricultural workers (fellahin) form about 62 per cent. of Egypt's population.



DISCONTINUE THOOF MESSAGES ON CBC

During Mr. Gladstone Murray's talk entitled "Radio—The Fourth Arm" on September 21st over the CBC National Network he spoke of the CBC's Overseas Unit and its important war task of providing a link between the forces overseas and their homeland. One method employed to this end is personal messages from Canadians abroad to their families and friends at home, and while these broadcasts serve a useful purpose for a time, changing circumstances and necessary limitations which have made it impossible to eliminate disappointment and irritation are reasons for the discontinuance of this service after October 18.

The two methods of bringing these messages to Canada are by short wave and by recordings conveyed by sea and neither method is completely reliable or satisfactory. Ships are lost, and messages sent by air sometimes fail because of bad transmission conditions.

Another point to be considered is that while Canada had a relatively small force overseas, the great number of men Canada now has in Britain makes its quite impossible to bring even a small percentage of these men to the microphone. Perhaps most important and urgent of all the reasons set forth by Mr. Murray is the question of casualties and the attendant heartache suffered by the family of a man reported as "killed in action" or "missing" after he has had his broadcast from, say, the Beaver Club in London and before his message is rebroadcast to his family.

It is over military communication channels that some of the lists of the men who participate in CBC broadcasts from Britain have travelled to Canada and occasionally this has meant that those important channels have been overloaded and that vital information was delayed while the lists were being sent.

The CBC Unit overseas will continue to develop the work of reporting the activities of the Canadian forces in Britain and will send word pictures by means of feature and documentary broadcasts to listeners in Canada.

WHEN HITLER WAS TEMPTED



—Capt. V. Bondeau, Can. Dental Corps

THOSE WHO ARE AFRAID
There are some people who are said never to know what fears mean. The greater here, however is the man who is afraid but who is too proud to show it. That is real heroism, and a man who has that sort of courage will go through life and become a great leader. —Earl Jellicoe.

If half the energy was devoted to predicting success as to prophesying disaster and calamity, the world would be a much brighter place to live in.

MICKIE SAYS—

"THEY'RE ONE THING 'AT WE NEED HERE DAILY—'N TAIN'T FOOD NOR 'AIR VOT I MEAN—' CALLIN' IT 'TH' ROOT OF ALL EVIL' DON'T DISCUSS US 'N MONEY YOU'LL NEVER GUESS SO I'LL TELL YA— IT'S MONEY!"



THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

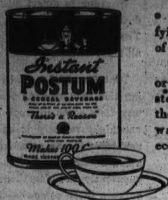


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HALFWAY HOUSE

— BY —
MICHAEL TRENT

CHAPTER I.

Anne Lowry listened to the tap-tap-tap of her father's cane along the verandah of Halfway House, and there was a hollow echoing of the cane in the empty lobby. Some trick of acoustics caused the echo—and the echo played a sudden trick with Anne's nerves. She sat there barely breathing, and the empty tapping seemed to reverberate around her like a static charge. A queer uneasiness crept over her, and for the first time she was afraid of the rambling mountain lodge.

The tapping continued back and forth along the long timbered verandah. Back and forth, her father trying to work strength back into his frail body. The tapping halted by the open lobby doors, and Anne saw her father beckoning. She rose from her perch on the verandah, came around the table, and at the doorway slipped her arm about the gaunt man's shoulders. Since Halfway House was to be as much a cure as a business venture she tried to think his haggard face had a trace of color and his wasted body new straightness. She ignored the hard fact that he leaned heavily upon the ever-present cane.

Drew Lowry lifted his face to the mountains. "It's too wonderful to be true," he said. "I can hardly believe it's real—for you and me, Anne."

It was panoramic: the mountains, the pine-blanketed valleys, the crystal-clear Indian Lake. It was awesome because it was vast, and lonely. But it was cool and serene—and the past was a long way off.

"It's a far cry from what we've known," Drew Lowry said.

His voice had a choked-up sound, and Anne knew what he was thinking. He was remembering the oppressive heat, the depressing fifts, the strength-stealing fevers of the tropics. Drew Lowry had spent all

his adult life, until now, in the tropics as a consular officer stationed at pest-hole ports and jungle-border towns. Some lack in his physical make-up had permitted to be his enemy. Dengue fever, and finally a mysterious tropical fever. The doctors had finally warned: "You're only hope is another climate." A northern climate—mountains.

"Halfway House," Anne said. "Halfway to nowhere, out of this world..."

Perhaps there was something off key in her voice. Her father gave her an anxious look.

"I know it can't be paradise for you, Anne," he said. "You're young—and a woman. You should be where there is gaiety and life. I'm a selfish brute with my idea of picking Halfway House. They laughed at that, there being nothing of the brute about the frail Drew Lowry. He was a mild-mannered man, almost timid, and even in his career had been merely one of service and not at all spectacular.

"It was my idea, picking Halfway House," Anne said. "And once you're well and we make money, we'll have gaiety and life. I'll not be a hermit here, you know." There'll be guests. At least, I hope there'll be guests. Now, I've got to get back to work."

She patted his pale cheek, turned back into the cool timbered lobby. She sat at the table and tried to work on her accounts. Her father kept walking the verandah, and the tap-tap-tap of his cane made the hollow echo sound in the still lobby. The sound was eerie, Anne rose, walked to the corner and turned on the radio.

She didn't care what came in, just so it was music. It was the 12 o'clock news broadcast, and a German aviator had escaped from a prison camp in Alberta Province. Royal Northwest Mounted Police are trailing the man, and it is thought that he attempted to reach the International Boundary.

Anne turned back to tune out the news broadcast. It seemed almost a sacrilege, the intrusion of trouble to the serenity of Halfway House. Anne's fingers touched the dial.

"This man is known to be armed. It is thought he had outside help in making his escape. He speaks perfectly. I'll not be a hermit here, you know."

Anne turned the dial. She filled the room with music that was gay, and that was better. She was vaguely aware of the music when her father again called her to the doorway. This time he pointed down into the valley.

"Company's coming," he said. "There's a rider moving along the trail from National Park."

Anne saw the rider among the pines far across the valley. He wore the green uniform of the forest Service, a wide-brimmed campaign hat and he rode a handsome black horse. He came out of the pines shortly, climbing toward Halfway House, and finally he waved. A moment later he rode onto the hotel grounds. He was a big man, sun-browned and looking good. He sat his horse with a definite jauntiness, reining it before the verandah, and his glance rested at Anne, held a brief moment, then passed on to Drew Lowry. Anne thought she detected a question in his eye, but now, as he dismounted, it went away.

"I heard Halfway House had been opened again," he said. "so I thought I'd ride over and become acquainted." He had a nice smile. He stood a full six feet, and his uniform shoulders were broad. Anne found herself noticing those little things about him. He offered his hand to Drew Lowry.

START READING The New Serial In This Issue

"HALFWAY HOUSE"

By MICHAEL TRENT

When Drew Lowry and his daughter, Anne, left South America and the U.S. consular service to live in the Rockies where Drew's tropical disease might at last be healed, they could not possibly have known how parts of that past would creep up again in the north country.

It was when Anne saw the shadow and a pair of men start out on a manhunt that she had her first apprehension. And then when her old friend, Erich Kruger, appeared, the whole panorama began to take form.

Drew and Anne were to be obligated to shelter a German aviator, an escaped Canadian prisoner of war.

"There are eight of us altogether," Anne told him. "My father and six employees."

"All strangers to the country?" "Yes, all strangers."

"Guests coming soon?" "Yes; the first tomorrow. Two couples are coming. More later, we hope."

Steve Hayes nodded, said politely he hoped Halfway House would be a success. He again gave the hotel a quick survey, that suggestion of inquiry back in his eyes. But he asked no more questions. He shook Drew Lowry's hand once more, then Anne's, and still holding her he said, "Visitors are welcome anytime at the Station. The boys will be glad to become acquainted."

He gave Anne a sweeping look, as a man will at a pretty girl, then he saluted and strode to his horse. The man and girl at Halfway House watched him disappear into the trees of the Indian Lake watershed.

Drew Lowry chuckled and observed, "He must have heard we have a pretty girl at Halfway House. But Anne shook her head disagreeing. "No," she said, "he came looking for something—something other than a girl. And he didn't see it, whatever it was."

Anne Lowry was both right and wrong about Forest Ranger Steve Hayes. He had come for a look at the new occupants of Halfway House, and his interest was more than mere curiosity. But he had also heard there was a pretty girl at the mountain lodge, and, being a young man who saw few pretty girls, he had made it his business to see if this one was pretty as the mountain prospectus said.

Anne wasn't the prettiest girl Steve Hayes had ever seen, but during the afternoons lonely patrol he remembered her. She had made a pleasant picture, with her coppery hair and her tall slender body, and Steve Hayes couldn't recall having ever before seen a girl with green eyes. He supposed it was her eyes that kept him thinking about her. There was something about her eyes, something more than their unusual greenness, that impressed him.

There was a vague uneasiness in them, and Steve Hayes wondered if that had meaning. It was no accident that brought him on his way back to the ranger station, around by Halfway House at sunset.

He'd come through the pines bordering Indian Lake. The sun was half down behind a western peak. The mountains were washed with splashes of brassy yellow-red light. The hair on Anne's half-log-timber lodge had a definite charm in the sunset. Steve Hayes, hidden among the trees, watched the big house for a long interval, seeing nothing worth yet continuing to be oddly interested. He had been there perhaps ten minutes when he heard the splash of near-by water.

Anne was close to shore, evidently meaning to come out of the water. A green beach robe and a pair of straw sandals lay on a rock near by. She was alone, and Steve Hayes caught the flash of white arms and the splash of color that was her yellow swim suit. She wore a white rubber cap over her coppery hair. She had a little difficulty climbing out on the rough bank, and Steve went and gave her hand. His sudden appearance seemed to give her a start. She looked cold, and her teeth chattered, as he helped her up.

"Isn't it chilly for swimming?" he asked.

"A little," she said. She was visibly shivering as she removed her cap. Her thick hair tumbled in rich loose waves about her head.

Steve Hayes got her robe, held it for her, and she was very close as she slipped into it. A bit too close to let her go without being kissed.

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Because of the business, social and economic significance of the speech and the popular appeal of the subject matter, the Association has arranged for reprints which will be sent free on request to the Association at 10 Adelaide Street East, Toronto.

Students, educationists, commercial and financial leaders will find the full text of this brilliant speech of extraordinary interest in their speculations as to the conditions which progressive thinkers hope will obtain at the expiration of the war.

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A Forecast For Britain In The Next Year

The forecast that Britons will eat even less in the next year than in the first three years of the war so that their armies may attack in Europe was made by Food Minister Lord Woolton.

Whatever measures he takes henceforth will be aimed at conserving the nation's resources "for more active prosecution of the war," he said in a speech at Edinburgh.

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"Sure there are no strangers in the north country. That must surprise city people." Steve Hayes looked from father to daughter. "You are city people? Or am I reading the signs wrong?"

"You're right," after a fashion," Anne replied. "I supposed we'd be called tenderloin."

She meant it as humor, but the visitor seemed not to notice. He was looking about Halfway House, seeming to register it in detail for a retentive mind. He asked, almost too casually:

"How many people do you have here?"



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Local and General Items

We like that moon, standing on end, a straight and forward fellow.

Mrs. Joe Misson was a visitor last week end with her sister, Mrs. K. McGregor, at Macleod.

Mrs. C. Donovan, of Fernie, was a recent visitor with her daughters, Mrs. James and Mrs. Benny Burrell at Hartell, Alberta.

"Tiny" Thompson, former goalie with the Bellevue Bulldogs' hockey team and later a professional, has joined the air force.

A wedding carriage was seen driving through the streets of London the other morning. Inscribed in chalk on the back were the words: "Result of Careless Talk."

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnston were holiday visitors to Calgary.

Private Joe Pietrowsky recently spent a week end with his family at Invermere, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dicken, of Fernie, recently celebrated their silver wedding anniversary.

J. Angus MacDonald and J. Madison were Thanksgiving holiday visitors to points in the East Kootenays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Angus MacDonald have received word of the safe arrival in England of their eldest son Ronald.

Mr. W. Innes, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada branch at Bellevue, was a Thanksgiving holiday visitor to Calgary.

Sgt. George Patterson, of the Lethbridge military police force, spent the early part of the week with his family here.

Douglas Lord, A.B., returned east to take his post with the Canadian Navy, after a few weeks holiday with relatives and friends here.

Rev. E. B. Arrol, of Blairmore, and Rev. W. H. Irwin, of Bellevue, attended the United Church Presbytery meeting at Coldale last week.

Ted Thell took a hand in harvesting operations on Sunday, October 4, near Macleod. He drove a grain truck on the farm of L. Lemire, where grain was being combined.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wilton spent several days in the Pincher Creek district while returning from a holiday in Edmonton and other points on their way home to Cranbrook.

On Sunday we received a parcel from Mr. W. A. Vaughn, of Wolfville, Nova Scotia. It contained a "Little Nova Scotia apple that tipped the scales at one and a half pounds. We had it on display in our window for several days.

"Matt" Halton, famous war correspondent, has been visiting his home in Pincher Creek, and says he'll be there (not Pincher Creek) when the second front opens. Matt was enroute to Vancouver from Cairo, Egypt, and was met by his wife in New York.

The evening service at Central United church on Sunday evening last was in charge of Rev. W. H. Irwin, of Bellevue, who recently returned from meetings of the General Council held in Belleville, Ontario. His report was highly enlightening and well received by the congregation.

A possibility forecast by Mr. Elliott Little, director of National Selective Service, is the calling of 18 and 19-year-olds youths for compulsory service. Married men may also be increasingly included in the requirements for the armed services. Diversion of men to essential industries will continue as the scarcity of manpower develops.

Edmonton's famous double-decked bridge recently observed its thirty years of successful service. The bridge, which spans the North Saskatchewan River between Edmonton and Strathcona, is a double-deck structure about 2,687 feet in length, and provides a thoroughfare for vehicles, street cars and pedestrians in addition to railway traffic.

Mrs. Archie Anderson passed away at Coleman on Friday afternoon last, following a lengthy illness. She was in her forty-sixth year and is survived by her husband and son William; a sister, Mrs. J. Campbell, of Edinburgh, Scotland, and a brother, John Kinney, in Coleman. She had been resident of Coleman since 1926. The remains were laid to rest on Monday afternoon, following service conducted at the family residence by Rev. J. E. Kirk.

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Brass buttons on military uniforms are to be replaced with plastic buttons.

Seventeen degrees of frost was recorded in Blairmore on Tuesday morning.

Considerable improvements are being effected to the residence of A. Peressini, near the old cement plant.

The Enterprise was so busy with Christmas greeting card orders that we were unable to observe the Thanksgiving holiday.

W. D. Hay, assistant at the Lethbridge Experimental Station, sees a good future for soy beans in that district. Well, we have always seen a good future for beans.

Canada is to ship 675,000,000 pounds of bacon and pork products to Britain during the year at a price ten cents higher than the price paid under the expiring 600,000,000-pound contract.

People who are heating up their stoves to preserve strawberries should bear in mind that the berries across our main street are not strawberries, but dogberries, or westernly known as mountain ash.

Claiming she suffered a broken rib and other painful injuries when a street car on which she was a passenger started up suddenly in Calgary, Mrs. J. W. Gresham has entered suit against the city for \$1,500 general and \$154 special damages.

Joseph Ondrek, elderly rancher of the Castle River district, died in hospital at Pincher Creek on Saturday. The remains were brought to Blairmore for burial. Service was held in St. Anne's church on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, and the remains were laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery.

Pte. Gordon A. Key was at Calgary head \$10 and costs for aliphatic gasoline from an auto.

No woman really makes a fool out of a man. She merely gives him an opportunity to develop his natural capacities.

In order to divert steel to war industries, the Wartime Prices and Trade Board announces rationing of all farm machinery.

That frame of a six-by-three building that was smashed across the railway from south to north in Blairmore one night recently is said to be the new office for an organization formed a few months ago in this district, and apparently not functioning. It now appears to be somewhat on the level. It has seating accommodation for one.

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1 Exports to our Allies (mainly to Britain.)	170	300	485	556
	MILLIONS	MILLIONS	MILLIONS	MILLIONS
2 Remaining for consumption in Canada.**	226	251	274	282
	MILLIONS	MILLIONS	MILLIONS	MILLIONS

* Inspected slaughter. Does not include pork products used on farms or sold direct from farms to consumers, small butcher shops, etc.

** Including army camps, ship stores, and general retail distribution.

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During the last
four years (Sept. 1
to Aug. 31) —



You produced*
of this amount...

1 Exports to our Allies (mainly to the U.S.A.)	102	72	86	128
	MILLIONS	MILLIONS	MILLIONS	MILLIONS
2 Remaining for consumption in Canada.**	400	410	448	482
	MILLIONS	MILLIONS	MILLIONS	MILLIONS

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